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DATE: February 14, 2005

RE: IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KEVIN KNUTSON DBA CRYPTIC COMMUNICATIONS FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE CUSTOMER OWNED PAY TELEPHONE SERVICE (DOCKET NO. T-04285A-04-0772)

On October 27, 2004, Kevin Knutson dba Cryptic Communications ("Applicant") filed an application to obtain a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CC&N") for customer owned pay telephone ("COPT") service. The Applicant indicated on its application that it will provide service in accordance with the rates, charges, terms and conditions contained within the COPT Generic Tariff. The Applicant included a list of the addresses where it currently provides payphone service and indicated that it has placed the prescribed notice of the application at each of these locations.

Staff sent a data request to the Applicant on November 3, 2004. The Applicant completed the COPT application by responding to Staff's data request. On December 9, 2004, Staff received a copy of the Applicant's customer information placard. The Applicant's customer information placard meets the terms of the Generic Tariff.

Staff believes that certain benefits in the form of increased pay telephone availability will accrue to the public and that the issuance of a CC&N is in the public interest. Therefore, Staff recommends approval of the application.

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